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Microorganism	Deposit No.	<u>Deposit Date</u>
E. coli pML48 SANK 71199	FERM BP-6780	July 7, 1999
E. coli pSAKexpE SANK 72499	FERM BP-7005	Jan. 25, 2000
E. coli pSAKexpR SANK 72599	FERM BP-7006	Jan. 25, 2000

All of the above-identified microorganism were deposited with the National Institute of Bioscience and Human-Technology



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2. 科学的性質及び分類学上の位置	
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1. IDENTI	FICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM		
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2. SCIENT	IFIC DESCRIPTION AND / OR PROPOSED T	AXONOMIC DESIGN	ATION
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3. RECEIPT AND ACCEPTANCE		
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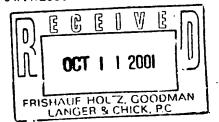
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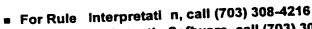
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